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The Election of 1796 – Adams vs. Jefferson

The election of 1796 featured a showdown between John Adams and Thomas Jefferson. Adams eventually won and Jefferson finished second, which made him the Vice President. This election was more significant for the fact that it was the first presidential election in United States history in which political parties played a major role. For this assignment you will choose to support either the Federalists or the Democratic-Republicans and create a campaign poster that promotes their views.

Requirements:

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| 1. Name of party | _____ / 5 |
| 2. Name of candidate | _____ / 5 |
| 3. Minimum of two references to the party's views | _____ / 10 |
| 4. Original campaign slogan | _____ / 5 |
| 5. Illustration of your candidate | _____ / 10 |
| 5. Spelling, neatness, color | _____ / 5 |

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